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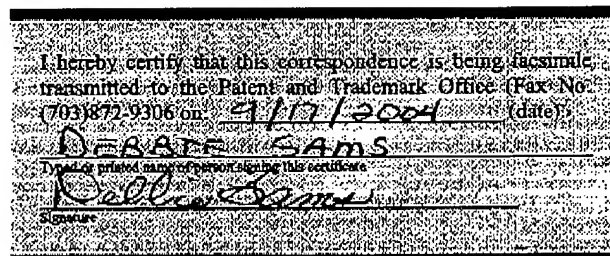
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Benjamin John Eggleton, *et al.*
Serial No.: 10/084,788
Filed: February 26, 2002
Title: OPTICAL PULSE SOURCE FOR LONG HAUL OPTICAL
COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS
Grp./A.U.: 2828
Examiner: Dung T. Nguyen

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF APPLICANT INITIATED INTERVIEW IN
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Summarized below is the substance of a telephone interview held on August 12, 2004, between Examiner Phillip Nguyen and the under signed attorney of record.

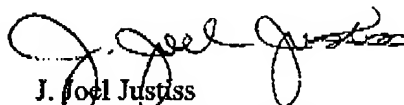
In the telephone interview, Examiner Nguyen and Mr. Justiss discussed that the Final Rejection mailed on February 25, 2004, did not consider the supplemental amendment that was mailed on February 6, 2004. Accordingly, Examiner Nguyen agreed to withdraw the Final Rejection

and issue a new office action as soon as possible.

The Applicants request the Examiner to telephone the undersigned attorney of record at (972) 480-8800 if there are any questions regarding the summary or if such would further or expedite the prosecution of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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